# CTC Applied Baccalaureate Degree Pilot Projects

**HECB Advisory Council** 

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## Approval Process

Institutional
Development and
Approval.

NOI Submitted to HECB

Proposals to SBCTC selection committee. SBCTC Approval

HECB Permission to develop, submission of full proposals.

Proposals to HECB Review and Approval.

Submission to NWCCU (regional accrediting body)

## SBCTC Task Force Members

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### SBCTC Staff

## CTC Applied Bachelor's & University Contracts

### CTC bachelor's examples

- Hospitality Management BAS
- BAS in Technology Management
- Radiologic Technology BAS



### University contract examples

 The range of university degrees - business, social science, elementary education or other traditional and newer degree

## Principles – CTC Bachelor's

- Serve students from the area not otherwise served;
- Extension of workforce mission response to increasing skill requirements of employers already being served by the college;
- Pilot colleges have the capacity to develop and sustain new programs;
- CTCs remain lower division institutions; and
- Maintain the open door in context of adding bachelor's programs.

### Principles – U Contracts

- Serve students from the area not otherwise served;
- Bringing in university partners part of the service to community;
- Explore models of partnership different than the 24 existing partnerships; and
- CTC remain lower division institutions the partner does the upper division.

## Criteria and Standards CTC Applied Bachelor's

- Criteria as required in E2SHB 1794, selected items from HECB approval process, Northwest accreditation association review
  - Student, employer demand & community need
  - Curriculum plan & teaching faculty
  - Student services & program admission
  - Program evaluation
- Standards identify the evidence sought from each proposal by the evaluation panel

## Criteria and Standards University Contracts

- Criteria referenced in E2SHB 1794 & selected items from HECB approval process
  - Gap in service delivery for place bound students
  - Student, employer demand & community need
  - Explore partnership arrangements
  - Potential to sustain partnership
  - Articulation plan for students from nearby colleges
- Standards identify the evidence sought from each proposal by the evaluation panel

## Timeline CTC Bachelor's

- SBCTC requests funding supplemental budget
- RFP due January 17, 2006
- SBCTC selects April 2006
- HECB review
- NWCCU review
- Hire additional faculty, recruit students 2006-07
- Enroll juniors fall 2007
- Bachelor's awarded spring 2009

## Timeline University Contracts

- SBCTC requests funding supplemental budget
- RFP due March 6, 2006
- SBCTC selects April 2006
- HECB review of partnership
- Enroll juniors fall or winter 2006-07
- Bachelor's awarded spring or fall 2008

## Review of Proposals

- Evaluation committee
  - Review written material
  - Hear presentations from colleges
  - Hear from university and industry content experts
- Score each proposal on overall responsiveness to criteria, adding to bachelor's capacity
- Select top proposals

### Evaluating Results of the Pilots

- After 1<sup>st</sup> year of CTC bachelors, 2<sup>nd</sup> year of U Contracts (summer 2008)
  - Coordinate with HECB
  - Enrollments, students views of curricula
- After graduates in the workforce (summer 2010)
  - Impact on employment

## Supplemental Budget Request

#### Size and start date

- CTC bachelor's: 160 FTEs, 20 FTEs per pilot per year
- U Contracts: 240 FTEs, 40 FTEs per pilot per year

### Tuition and state support levels

Upper division, so regional university rates

### Start up funding

For CTC bachelor's pilots only

### \$1.66 million for pilots

- \$904,000 for CTC applied bachelor's pilots
- \$756,000 for university contract pilots



## HECB Degree Program Approval Criteria

Programs are evaluated based on the degree to which they align with and/or implement the statewide strategic master plan strategies:

- To increase opportunities for students to earn degrees; and
- Respond to the state's economic needs.

## HECB Degree Program Approval Criteria

## Board approval will be based on evidence that the program or off-campus facility is likely to:

- Support the unique role and mission of the institution(s);
- Foster high-quality programs that enable students to complete their studies in a reasonable amount of time;
- Meet state and/or regional student, employer, and community needs;
- Provide access for diverse student populations;
- Demonstrate that the need is commensurate with the costs to be incurred and represents an effective use of fiscal resources; and
- Be free from unnecessary program duplication.